MAR 2 7 2002

Applicants:

John D. Porter; Roger A. Pearson; Kazuo Kajiwara; Haruo Kato; Lawrence S. Pan;

Shiyou Pei; Theodore S. Fahlen

signees:

Candescent Technologies Corporation;

Candescent Intellectual Property Services, Inc. ;

and Sony Corporation

Title:

Structure And Fabrication Of Light-Emitting

Device Having Partially Coated Light-Emissive

Particles

Serial No.:

09/823,815

Filing Date:

March 30, 2001

Examiner:

Unknown

Group Art Unit: Unk

Unknown

Docket No.:

CT-F139 US

San Jose, California March 27, 2002

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS Washington, D. C. 20231

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

APR 0 3 2002 Technology Center 2600

Sir:

Please amend the above patent application as follows:

IN THE SPECIFICATION

Amend Paragraphs 0006, 0017, 0081, 0085, 0087, 0158, 0164, and 0240 to read:

A

LAW OFFICES OF SKJERVEN MORRILL MacPHERSON LLP

25 METRO DRIVE SUITE 700 SAN JOSE, CA 95110 (408) 453-9200 FAX (408) 453-7979 --[0006] The electrons emitted by regions 26 pass through light-reflective layer 38 before striking light-emissive regions 34. In so doing, the electrons lose some energy. The image intensity increase resulting from the light-reflective nature of layer 38 at least partially compensates for any image intensity decrease caused by this electron energy loss. Nonetheless, it would be desirable to further improve the

-1-

Serial No. 09/823,815